Coquille City Herald.

TUESDAY JUNE 21, 1904.

### National Irrigation.

Extract from speech of Hon. Paris Gibson, of Montana, in the Senate of the United States, Thursday, March 24, 1904.

The rapid increase in our population, together with the enactment of the national irrigation measure, have the last two or three years greatly stimulated the taking up of our choicest public lands in large tracts in the arid and semiarid States, and consequently agricultural lands, whether irrigable or nonirrigable, have in that time rapidly advanced in value. These facts should lead the Government to prompt action in repealing the desert-land act and the commutation clause of the homestead act, as well as the forest reserve lieu land act, if it would save the remaining public land for inhabitancy.

Our present system of land laws is all that could be desired if it is the part of wisdom to give the ownership and control of the land in eight or ten States of the Union to a few men and companies, who will use them for cattle ranges, rather than hold them for millions of homeless American citizens.

Under pastoral stock raising there will never be large numbers of cattle in the Rocky Mountain States, but if farmers can occupy that country, which will surely be the case under a wise and just national policy, its live-stock interests after a while will assume immense proportions.

In proof of this I have only to state that according to the last census Iowa, a farming State, having 55,000 square miles, had 500,000 more cattle than Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Washington, Utah Nevada, Arizona, and New Mexico, States and Territories covering an area of 821,000 square miles.

The continuance of our present system of land laws result in the ownership by landlords of the principal part of the arid States, whereas if held subject to a homestead act that can not be commuted the public domain still remaining will become the property of millions of freeholders.

### Navigation on The North Fork.

*Regulations to govern the floating of loose timbers and logs and other methods of navigation on that portion of the North Fork of the Coquille river, Oregon, between its mouth and Gravel Ford, at the junction of the North and East Fork.*

In pursuance of the authority conferred by Act of Congress approved May ninth, nineteen hundred, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Secretary of War to make regulations governing the running of loose logs, steamboats, and rafts on certain rivers and steamers, the following regulations are prescribed for the North Fork of the Coquille River, Oregon, between its mouth and Gravel Ford, whereon the floating of loose logs is the principal method of navigation.

REGULATIONS.

That during the one hundred and forty-four (144) hours extending from midnight of each Wednesday to midnight of the following Tuesday, loose timber and logs, and sack rafts (so called) of timber and logs, may be run, and parties engaged in this business may use the waterway in such seasonable manner as may be necessary for the proper transaction of such business, providing that during any other period than that designated above, said parties shall so arrange their work as to leave the channel of said section of the river free from floating logs and timber and shall not obstruct or delay any other navigation interest.

ROBERT SHAW OLIVER,
Assistant Secretary of War.
War Department, June 7, 1904.

### Oregonians at World's Fair.

World's Fair Grounds, St. Louis, June 17.—Mr. and Mrs. John Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams, Ray D. Forher, James H. McNicholas, P. Wingert, of Portland; W. E. Gilhousen, Minnie Gilhousen, Lelia Gilhousen, Mrs. E. S. Johnson, of The Dalles; May A. Sutton, May S. Mulit, of Ashland; Mrs. J. M. Berry, Fannie McKennon, of La Grande; Mrs. E. A. Holmes, of Wallowa; George A. Robinson, of Coquille; Andrew McCall, of Cleone; L. H. Kirchem, of Logan; G. R. Hughes, of Forest Grove; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Searcey, of Rutledge; Edwin McGrew and family, of Newburg; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Beardsley, of Salem.

When the international rule was established that a nation's jurisdiction should extend only three miles from shore, that was about the range of the largest cannon. Now that a sixteen inch cannon will carry sixteen miles, considerably further than any ship can be seen, it is proposed to extend the neutral zone so as to permit nations in time of war to lay mines wherever hostile vessels would be likely to lie.

### Leading Events of Eighteenth Week of the War.

June 8th.—A refugee from Port Arthur reports that only five Russian ships in the harbor are available, the balance of the fleet being sunk or badly damaged and dismantled.

June 9th.—In anticipation of possible appearance of Japanese warships in the European waters Russia strengthens the fortifications along the coast of the Baltic sea.

June 10th.—Two mechanical bombs are discovered in the Imperial palace of the Czar, just in time to avoid a disaster.

June 11th.—Japanese outposts investing Port Arthur from land side are reported within 7 miles of the inner defence of the forts.

June 12th.—Japanese military commission assigned to bury the dead Russians in the battle of Napshan Hill at Kinchou, May 26th, presents its final report. The report states that there were 10 officers and 694 men making the total of the killed left behind by the Russians 704.

The Japanese force which left Pulan Tien to checkmate the Russian advance southward to relieve Port Arthur meet the enemy and make a false retreat after a brief engagement. The Russians follow and press the Japanese hotly, when then the Japanese cleverly execute a flank movement, catching the Russians in a trap. The Russian loss is placed at 800 men and several horses. They fall back toward Kai-Chou pressed by the Japanese.

June 13th.—Admiral Togo's squadron captures a fleet of Chinese junks laden with rice and attempting to run the blockade into Port Arthur.

The Japanese re-occupy the village of Pulantien. The engagement results in a severe loss on both sides. Russian loss includes two generals in killed and several officers of high rank in wounded who were picked off by the Japanese sharpshooters.

June 14th.—Russian protected cruiser "Novik" convoying 10 destroyers make a sortie outside of Port Arthur. A Japanese fleet of 10 destroyers meet and by slowly retreating attempt to entice the Russians out to sea. The latter refuse and finally retreat to the harbor.

June 15th.—Russian Vladivostok squadron is reported to be out in the strait of Korea and an engagement with the Admiral Kamimura's squadron is expected. The Russian squadron is reported to have intercepted two Japanese transports Sado and Hadachi, which were on their way from a Japanese port loaded with army supply and troops.

### A Good Show.

The Empire Stock Co., who made their appearance last evening before a large and enthusiastic audience, well deserve the generous applause which greeted their popular company of players. Their new play, "Capital vs Labor" is a well constructed drama of daily life surrounding the great eastern factories and as played by this company is deserving of success, as the different members worked with a conscientiovs, easy grace which in a play like "Capital vs Labor" brings forth all the talents which are at their command.

Tonight they will produce the comedy, "Married by Mistake," and from the good impression made upon those who witnessed the last evening's performance, this company will surely be greeted with another large audience.—Coast Mail.

### Krantz-Stewart.

A. J. Krantz, editor Curry County Recorder, and Miss Ruby M. Stewart, daughter of Hon. Frank A. Stewart and wife, were married by Hon. E. A Bailey, on Wednesday, the 8th day of June, 1904, at the residence of Hardy T. Stewart, at Gold Beach,—Fred D. Stewart and Pearl A. Stewart, brother and sister of the bride, standing up with the parties.—Tribune.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all Coos County Warrants endorsed prior to July 1st, 1902, will be paid on presentation at my office in Coquille, Oregon. No interest will be allowed after June 30th, 1904.

J. B. DULLEY,
County Treasurer.

Dated at Coquille, Oregon, June 21, 1904.

### Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's Discovery after everything else failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by R. S. Knowlton Druggist. Price 50c, and $1.00 Trial bottle free.

(Myrtle Point Enterprise.)

Chas. Adams and wife returned home Saturday. Mrs. Adams has been in Southern California for the benefit of her health, and her condition is somewhat improved.

Word has been received from Fred Garreit and Geo. Guerin, who are in Alaska. The boys have been trapping and lately came out of the interior with a valuable lot of furs. They are expected home in a short time.

Daisy, the 10 year old daughter of Mrs. D. J. Overholtzer, who arrived here from Covina, Cal., Monday, died suddenly Tuesday at the residence of J. L. Lewellen. The little girl had been an invalid most of her life. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Thos. Barklow at the German Baptist church, Wednesday, and the remains laid to rest in the Myrtle Point cemetery.

The wedding of Mr. Albert Carver and Miss Eva Arnold was solemnized Wednesday evening, June 15, 1904, by Rev. Thos. Barklow, in the presence of the relatives and a few intimate friends of the young couple. The wedding took place in the new residence which had been provided by the groom. The parlor was beautifully and artistically decorated and the young couple stood beneath a floral arch while the impressive ceremony was performed. The bride is a popular young lady and has a host of friends who extend their best wishes. The groom is a well-known young man, sober and industrious, and deservedly popular among his friends.

### Steamer Burned.

New York, June 15.—Five hundred persons, mostly children, perished today by the burning of the excursion steamer General Slocum, near Hell Gate, in the East River. The General Slocum, with the annual Sunday school excursion of St. Marks' German Lutheran Church, of this city, on board, was proceeding up the river to one of the many resorts of Long Island Sound, when near One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, persons on shore saw smoke and flames sprining from the upper part of the crowded steamer. A panic ensued on the boat, almost instantly. The crowds on the forward deck began to spring overboard or to crowd to the after part of the boat. The screams of the terrified passengers could be heard on shore and hundreds of small boats immediately put off to the rescue.

Owing to the rocks on each side of the channel at this point, it had been impossidle to beach the vessel. The captain stuck to his wheel, and headed the vessel straight up the river to North Brothers Island, where she was put aground in the shallow water.

Several hundred feet of open water still lay between the burning steamer and the shore, and many persons perished either in the water or on the burning vessel after she had been beached.

It was estimated that the steamer carried more than 2000 persons. She was the largest excursion steamer in these waters, and could carry 2500 passengers.

New York, June 18.—More than 72 hours after the smoldering wreck of the big excursion steamer General Slocum had sunk off Hunt's Point, in the East River, the full extent of the disaster to the St. Mark's Luthern Sunday school picnickers had not been learned. Out of nearly 1600 pleasure-seeking women and children who boarded the steamer on Wednesday, the bodies of 566 have been recovered, while more than 300 others are in others are in the list of missing, and the search for them is continued along the shores and on the East River, while divers regularly relieved each other in the sunken hull and wherever in the water there seems a possibility of finding any victims of the disaster. In this search a diver today discovered in the river, near where the steamer was beached and fully two miles from where the wreck now lies, a hole in which more than 30 bodies are closely packed.

### For a Hundred Years.

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WANTED.—Knowledge of a Life Insurance Company, which writes a definite contract of insurance, which combines the peculiar and special advantages contained in the policies of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of Newark, N. J. WALTER CULIN, M. D., Local Agent.

### Sewing.

Mrs. H. S. Dicks will do all kinds of sewing. Prices reasonable. Apply at residence.

### Annual Picnic of the A. O. U. W.

The second annual picnic of the lodges of the Ancient Order of the United Workmen, of Coos county took place at North Bend on Saturday and was a grand success in every particular. A large crowd was present from all parts of the county and highly enjoyed the following program:

Prayer, Rev. Haberly.
Address of Welcome, Mayor L. J. Simpson.
Response, Hon. G. P. Topping.
An original poem: Fraternity and Its Meaning, Mrs. Dr. Howard.
Recitation, Miss Grace McCormac.
Oration, Rev. A. Haberly.
The Degree of Honor, Its Organization and Work in Coos County, Mrs. Dr. McCormac.
Trio, Mrs. Turpen, Miss Wickman and Miss Freelund.
Vocal solo, Miss Ethel Witte.

A grand picnic dinner and clam bake was then partaken of by the crowd while the North Bend Concert Band discoursed lovely music.

After dinner all repaired to the ball grounds where a match game between the Myrtle Point boys and the North Bend nine took place, resulting in a victory for the home team in a score of 4 to 9.

Klamath Falls, Or., June 17.—Jack Snyder shot and killed Tuffy Potter and fatally wounded Donald McKay last night in his abin about 36 miles south of here. The men had been drinking together in the cabin when all of a sudden Snyder pulled his gun and began firing, with the above stated result. He claims self-defense, alleging that his two visitors were attempting to get away with some property in the room.

### Special Meetings at Presbyterian Church.

The evangelist who has been conducting meetings in the Baptist church at Marshfield, Rev. J. A. McVeigh will begin a series of meetings in Coquille at the Presbyteriaan Church, beginning next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The Public in general is invited to attend, and all Christians of all churches are especially invited to co-operate and take part in the services, Mr. McVeigh is a member in good standing in the C. P. Church. Come and hear him.

### Panama Rallties Treaty.

Washington, June 18.— Charge Lee at Panama, today cabled the State Department that the national convention of Panama ratified the treaty of extradition with America.

### A Big Bargain

In a neat plat containing about 2 acres, on which there is a lovely orchard in Coquille city—right near the business part of town. For particulars call at this office or address Adam Pershbaker, Prosper, Or.

### Notice.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given, that no one has any authority to run any accounts, collect any bills or do any business of any kind in the name of The Whiting Mill Company, except on written order of the under-signed. G. G. HOLDUDGE.
9th and Maple sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the partnership estate of W. H. Erdice, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, duly verified, to the undersigned at the Coquille City Creamery in Coos county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.
Dated this 1st day of February, 1904.

S. M. NOSLER,
Administraior of the Partnership Estate of W. H. Erdice, deceased.


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### SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS.

T. H. Mehl and William Mehl, partners doing business under the firm name of T. H. Mehl & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. H. S. Kribs, Defendant. } Summons.

TO H. S. KRIBS, the above-named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause, on or before Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1904, which is eight weeks after Tuesday, the 22nd day of March, 1904, said last date being the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of Two Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars and Eighty Cents gether with interest on Two Hundred Dollars thereof, at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 9th day of October, 1902, for the further sum of Fifty Dollars as attorney's fees in this action, and for the plaintiffs' costs and disbursements thereof; and will take an order of said Circuit Court for the sale of any property attached in this action, and particularly all your right title and interest, in and to Certificate No. 6 of the preferred stock of the Bandon Oil Company, a corporation incorporated and existing under the laws of the State of Oregon, which has been attached in this action, sufficient to satisfy such judgment, and costs and disbursements.

This summons is published by the order of the Hon. L. Harlocker, County Judge of Coos County, State of Oregon, made and entered on the 21st day of March 1904, and which order specifies that the same shall be published for eight consecutive weeks in the Coquille City HERALD a weekly newspaper of general circulation and printed and published in the above-named County, at the City of Coquille.

SPERRY & CHASE,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

### Summons.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS.

George Bowers, Plaintiff, vs. Mary Campbell, Defendant. }

To MARY CAMPBELL, Defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint in the above entitled suit on or before the 30th day of June, 1904, and if you fail to so answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit, for decree that the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and entitled to the possession of the south-east quarter of sec. six, in township twenty-nine (29), South of range (9), West of the Willamette Meridian, that the defendant has no interest whatever in said property, and that the plaintiff's title thereto be forever quieted as to any claims by said defendant adverse to the plaintiff, and for such other and further relief as to equity may seem meet.

This publication is made for six successive weeks by order of Hon. L. Harlocker, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos, duly made and entered in the above entitled cause May 9, 1904, and the first publication of this summons is May, 10, 1904.

G. F. MARTIN.
Attorney for Plaintiff.
636 Chamber of Commerce,
Portland, Oregon.

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